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Attn: Daron Haddock

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ACT/015/018#2

Re: Extension Request for Responding to Deficiencies of the Deer Creek Reclamation Plan.

PacifiCorp, by and through its wholly owned subsidiary, Energy West Mining company (Energy West) hereby submits a request to extend the period in which to submit the responses to the deficiency letter dated July 7, 1999. This letter, Deficiencies in Revised Reclamation Plan, PacifiCorp, Deer Creek Mine, ACT/015/019-99C, File #3, Emery County, Utah, required Energy West to respond to the findings of the technical analysis (TA) by August 9, 1999.

Due to vacations and mine shutdowns, this letter was not reviewed until August 4, 1999. Energy West finds it impossible to respond to the numerous deficiencies by August 9, 1999 deadline. Therefore, Energy West requests to extension the response period 60 days (October 8, 1999) to perform new surveys, soil sampling and quality analysis, information and data research, and map restructuring. *

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this request please contact me at 435-687-4720 or Dennis Oakley at 435-687-4825.

Sincerely,

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